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To show what an old, long standing, enterprise the ginseng business of the United States is, we give below statistics from the U.S. Bureau Foreign & Domestic Commerce, showing the number pounds exported and the value each year for the past eighty years, the figures for the intervening years may be had from us or from the Bureau at Washington, D. C.

| Year | Pounds exported | Value     |
|------|-----------------|-----------|
| 1868 | 370,066         | 380,457   |
| 1890 | 223,113         | 605,233   |
| 1900 | 160,901         | 833,710   |
| 1910 | 192,406         | 1,439,431 |
| 1915 | 103,184         | 919,551   |
| 1920 | 160,050         | 1,875,548 |
| 1925 | 138,131         | 1,668,221 |
| 1930 | 167,000         | 618,000   |
| 1936 | 295,032         | 1,235,789 |
| 1937 | 136,664         | 707,250   |
| 1938 | 267,255         | 1,028,568 |
| 1940 | 188,520         | 1,098,151 |
| 1941 | 129,064         | 1,090,889 |
| 1946 | 185,876         | 2,230,789 |
| 1948 | 418,300         | 1,984,566 |
| 1950 | 77,482          | 895,676   |
| 1951 | 46,664          | 870,075   |

Above for the first ten months of 1951.

Divide the dollars by the pounds to get the price per pound.

Pounds per acre will depend largely on how well taken care of War or no war the Chinese have always been able to take all the GINSENG ROOTS the United States has been able to send them.

**LAKE SARAH SPECIALTY FARM**

Rockford, Minnesota.

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